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1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF MOROCCAN LETTER TO SECRETARY GENERAL
DATED FEBRUARY 27, ENCLOSING LETTER TO WALDHEIM FROM PRESIDENT
OF SAHARAN JEMAA. COMMUNICATIONS HAVE BEEN CIRCULATED TO
MISSIONS OF MEMBER STATES AT MOROCCAN REQUEST.

QUOTE:

TRANSLATED FROM FRENCH

PERMANENT MISSION
OF THE KINGDOM OF MOROCCO
TO THE UNITED NATIONS
757 THIRD AVENUE
NEW YORK, N.Y. 10017

NO. 578A/261/76 27 FEBRUARY 1976

SIR,

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I HAVE THE HONOUR TO TRANSMIT HERewith THE TEXT OF A MESSAGE
ADDRESSED TO YOU BY MR. KHATRI OULD SAID EL JOUMANI,
PRESIDENT OF THE JEMAA.

I WOULD REQUEST YOU TO CIRCULATE THIS LETTER AND THE ATTACHED
MESSAGE AS AN OFFICIAL DOCUMENT OF THE UNITED NATIONS.

ACCEPT, SIR, THE ASSURANCES OF MY HIGHEST CONSIDERATION.

(SIGNED) MOHAMED SALEH ZAIMI
CHARGE D'AFFAIRES A.I.

I HAVE THE HONOUR TO INFORM YOU THAT, IN PURSUANCE
OF THE TRIPARTITE AGREEMENT OF MADRID CONCLUDED ON 14
NOVEMBER 1975 BETWEEN SPAIN, MOROCCO AND MAURITANIA AND
PARTICULARLY OF ARTICLE 3, THE SAHARAN JEMAA, MEETING IN
SPECIAL SESSION TODAY, THURSDAY 26 FEBRUARY 1976, AT
EL AYOUNE, HAS UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED THE REINTEGRATION
OF THE TERRITORY OF SAHARA WITH MOROCCO AND MAURITANIA,
IN CONFORMITY WITH HISTORICAL REALITIES AND WITH THE LINKS
WHICH HAVE ALWAYS UNITED THE SAHARAN POPULATION TO THESE
TWO COUNTRIES, AND HAS EXPRESSED ITS FULL SATISFACTION
AND COMPLETE APPROVAL FOR THE DECOLONIZATION OF THE
TERRITORY AND ITS REINTEGRATION WITH MOROCCO AND MAURITANIA.
THE JEMAA HAS THUS EXPRESSED THE UNANIMOUS OPINION OF THE
SAHARAN POPULATIONS AND OF ALL THE TRIBES OF WHICH IT IS
THE AUTHENTIC AND LEGITIMATE REPRESENTATIVE. IT IS UN-
DENIABLE THAT THE PROCESS OF DECOLONIZATION FOLLOWED
IN THE TERRITORY HAS NORMALIZED THE SITUATION IN THE
REGION. IT THEREFORE RESPONDS TO THE AUTHENTIC AND LEGITIMATE
ASPIRATIONS OF THE POPULATION AND CONSTITUTES A MAJOR
CONTRIBUTION TO THE MAINTENANCE OF PEACE IN THE REGION.

ACCEPT, SIR, THE ASSURANCES OF MY HIGHEST CONSIDERATION.

KHATRI OULD SAID EL JOUMANI
PRESIDENT OF THE JEMAA.

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